## NATIONAL DEFENSE.

THREE BILLS RELATING TO IT PASS THE SENATE.

#### TO PROHIBIT COAL EXPORTS.

PRESIDENT AUTHORIZED TO DO THIS AT HIS DISCRETION.

Mrs. Nellie Grant Sartoris, Daughter of the Late President Grant, Restored to American Citizenship-Money Appropriated for Coast Defenses.

Washington, April 31.-Three important measures were passed by the senate this afternoon, all of which relate largely to the national defense. The sundry civil bill, which has been pending for two weeks, and which carries a large amount of money intended to be used in the strengthening of the country's coast defenses, was finally passed. The naval appropriation bill was immediately taken up and practically completed, although pending the discussion of an amendment concerning the price of armor plate, the bill was displaced in order that the measure temporarily increasing the military establishment of the United States in time of war might be considered. After a long discussion the bill, as amended by the committee, was passed. A joint resolution was adopted giving the president power to prevent the exportation of coal or other war material.

Just before adjournment it became known among senators on the floor that Senator Walthall, of Mississippi, who has been ill for several weeks, was dead. The formal announcement of his death was not made, but will be when the senate convenes to-

Mr. Morrill, of Vermont, secured the passage of a bill to restore to citizenship of the United States Mrs. Nellie Grant Sartoris, daughter of the late President Grant.

Mr. Elkins secured the passage of a joint resolution directing the secretary of war to have a survey and estimate made for the improvement of the West Fork river, W. Va., by a system of locks and

Mr. Quay, of Pennsylvania, introduced the following resolution:

"That the president is hereby authorized in his descretion and with such limitations and exceptions as shall seem to him expedient, to prohibit the export of coal or other material used in war from any seaport of the United States until otherwise ordered by congress,"

When the sundry civil bill was laid before the senate its consideration being by agreement under the five minute rule, Mr. Money, of Mississippi, said he had noticed in a morning paper the statement that the state department had announced there would, during the approaching war, be no privateering by the United States, and that this government would abide by the treaty of Paris made in 1856. "I desire to inquire," said he, "whether any member of the foreign relations committee can inform the senate if the statement made in the newspapers is true.

"I have heard nothing about the matter," responded Mr. Davis, chairman of the foreign relations committee, "except what I have seen in the newspapers."

Mr. Money, continuing, said that he could not believe the president had taken such action. "But," he said, "it is well enough that the powers delegated to the president be clearly defined here, and now. The power to issue letters of marque and reprisat belongs exclusively to congress. Neither the United States nor Spain is signatory to the treaty of Paris; but in everything relating to the rights of neutrality the United States has taken most advanced grounds. It was because the United States took more advanced grounds than other nations in this regard that the United States did not become a party to the Paris treaty."

Mr. Hoar, of Massachusetts, interrupted Mr. Money to note that this was an inopportune time to discuss the question as the senate had no knowledge that the president had exceeded his constitutional pow-"I desired simply to call attention to the fact," continued Mr. Money, "as it was my duty to do, that this proposition can not be tolerated by congress and I would suggest to senators in the confidence of the president that they suggest to him the sit-uation in congress."

A sharp fight was made upon the two amendments of the committee to that secamendments of the committee to that sec-tion of the bill relating to the depredations on public lands and timber. The amendments, however, were finally

agreed to. Mr. Morgan secured the adoption of an amendment providing for the appropria-tion of \$35,000 for the maintenance of the channel in Mobile harbor by dredging. The sundry civil bill as amended was

The naval appropriation bill was laid be fore the senate. The bill as it passed the house carried \$38,014,058. As it was reported to the senate it carries \$46,277,558,

Pending the consideration of the navati bill, Mr. Hawley, of Connecticut, chairman of the military affairs committee, called up the resolution introduced a few days ago and reintroduced to-day, relating to the exportation of coal and other war materials. After so amending the resolution as to enable the president not only to lay but to raise the embargo the resolution

as passed without division,

The reading of the naval bill was ther resumed and completed with its amendments at 2:40 p. m. An amendment was added by the committee providing that the secretary of the navy may establish depots for coal or other fuel for warships, and appropriating \$250,000 for that purpos Mr. Perkins, of California, secured the doption of an amendment appropriating

\$100,000 for the reconstruction of buildings destroyed recently by earthquake at Mare Island navy yard, California.

Several minor amendments were adopted. As the bill was about to pass, the armor matter was brought up and as it was likely to lead to debate, Mr. Hawley brought the volunteer army bill, which was considered by unanimous consent.

The bill has been fully described in these dispatches, together with to-day's amendments by the senate and military committee. Some of the minor amendments were offered by Mr. Hawley and agreed to

Mr. Bacon, of Gorgia, suggested that the till be so amended as to provide that no man in the militia service should be compelled to enlist by the vote of the comof which he is a member.

Mr. Hawley explained that nobody could enlist as a volunteer in the service of the United States and there rould be no practical difficulty in carrying into effect the provisions of the bill a militia organization could be forced to

the matter suggested by Mr. Bacon would be arranged by the governors of states.

All of the militiamen would not, of course, colunteer for service. No individual company or regiment would be compelled to enter the service, although the great body of them would doubtless volunteer for the

Mr. Faulkner, of West Virgina, sald that the militia organizations throughout the country thoroughly understood the matter as they had been in communication with the war department concerning it. Every member of the national guard understood that he could not be forced to enlist in the United States service. The bill, after an extended discussion,

was passed. Consideration of the naval appropriation

bill was then resumed, in order that certain amendments might be offered. Mr. Butler proposed an amendment that the government should pay no more than \$400 a ton for armor plate and appropriating \$6,500,000 for an armor plate factory and \$1,000,000 for the manufacture of armor plate for vessels now being constructed. The amendment went over. The senate then, at 5:50 p. m., on motion of Mr. Quay, of Pennsylvania, went into executive session, and adjourned at 7:06 p. m.

#### RESOLUTION PASSES HOUSE. President Authorized to Prohibit Exportation of Coal and Other War Material.

Washington, April 21.-The consideration of the contested election case of Patterson vs. Carmack, from the Tenth Tennessee district, was interrupted to-day to allow the passage without division of the joint resolution to authorize the president in his discretion to prohibit the expertation of coal and other war material.

The measure is considered of vital importance to prevent the shipment of coal to Cuban, Porto Rican and other ports where it could be used by Spain. The speaker signed it just before the house adjourned.

Two resolutions of inquiry reported by the foreign affairs committee were adopted. One called upon the president, if not incompatible with the public interest, to transmit all correspodence between Consul General Lee and the state department between May 1, 1896, to the present time. The second requested him to inform the house what steps, if any, had been taken to protect the lives and property of the 300 Americans left by Consul Brice at Matanzas,

In reply to an inquiry in connection with the latter resolution, Mr. Adams, acting chairman of the foreign affairs committee, explained the steps taken by the government to convey Americans from Cuba and the warnings given. But, he said, few Americans took advantage of the offer of the United States. They did not seem to realize their full danger, although officially notified. Mr. Adams said our interests were being looked after by British consuls and the incident at Havana a few days ago when an American was arrested and immediately released upon the demand of the British consul showed that the rights of our citizens were being care-

fully guarded. Mr. Henderson said he was willing that the resolution should be adopted, simply to show that everything was being done for the protection of such Americans as re-

Mr. Henderson said he was willing that the resolution should be adopted, simply to show that everything was being done for the protection of such Americans as remained upon the island.

The bill to restore Mrs. Nellie Gramt Sarty to stock American citizenship was passed.

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At 5:45 the house adjourned.

#### BRODERICK INDIAN BILL. Curtis Reports Favorably on Measure for Sale of Surplus Indian

Lands. Washington, April 21.-(Special.) Curtis, of Kansas, from the house committee of Indian affairs, to-day favorably reported the Broderick bill providing for the of the surplus lands on the Pottawatomie and Klckapoo Indian reservations in Jackson and Brown counties, Kas. In his report Mr. Curtis states that a similar bill was passed by the Fifty-third congress, but the Indians refused to consent to the sale under that law, because there was no provision for the children born to either tribes after the former allotments were closed. The bill reported to-day has been drawn to meet the objections of the Indians, and, besides providing for the children born subsequent to the allotments, provides also for the absentees who failed to receive their land under the former allotment. of the surplus lands on the Pottawatomie

#### Washington Notes.

John W. Ijams, of Kansas, has been appointed a farmer at th Kiowa, O. T., In-M. Paff, of Parson, Ind.; Leverne Wante-man, of Schanton, Kas.; Foust M. Ken-nard, of Cameron, and George Osborne, Jr., of Higginsville, Mo., have been ap-pointed railway mail clerks. The court of claims to-day rendered judgment in favor of the letter carrier claim of Wallace B. Armstrong, of Kansas City. Mo., for \$113.99.

#### CAMP UNDER MARTIAL LAW Stringent Measures Taken to Preserve Peace in the Lynn Ca-

nal District. Skaguay, Alaska, April 16, via Seattle,

Rochester, N. Y., April 21.-A freight wreck on the New York Central at Fair-port to-day resulted in the death of three men, one man being dangerously injured and over \$10.00 worth of property being destroyed. The names of the dead, who were all residents of Syracuse, are:

John Hare, conductor. Edward Jones, brakeman. Frank Dowds, fireman.

Editor Meade Discharged.

KANSAS BOARD OF PARDONS WILL AGAIN CONSIDER IT.

DUE TO HIS FAITHFUL WIFE.

SHE HAS BEEN UNTIRING IN EF-FORTS TO SECURE PARDON.

Rogers Was Convicted of Burning the Records of Harvey County-His Wife Claims He Was Railroaded to the Penitentiary.

Topeka, Kas., April 21.-(Special.) The state board of pardons has agreed to re-open the George W. Rogers case again. Rogers was sent up from Harvey county for burning the records of that county. Mrs. Rogers tried to get a pardon for him last year, but the board turned the application down. To-day she appeared before it and asked to have the case reopened. The board promised to do so. Mrs. Rog-ers says her husband is about dead; that he has not been outside of his cellroom since last November, and that the board for common humanity's sake, should pardon him. She declares that he was rail roaded to the penitentiary by Charlie Bucher, the Democratic lawyer of Newton, who wanted to get rid of Rogers for political reasons. She also says that Bucher afterwards told her that if Rogers was pardoned he (Bucher) would have to drop out of politics entirely.

County Commissioner Henry Benier signed both the petition for a pardon and the protest against it. Mrs. Rogers says the advice of Benfer that she first started to get up the petition. After she got it filed with the board of pardons Bucher and his crowd started to get up a protest, and Benfer signed it, because he was a candidate for re-election and was forced to do so for political rea-The protest bore about 200 signa sons. tures. Mrs. Rogers told the board to-day that fully 100 of the signers of the protest had declared that they never intended to sign a protest; that they were buncoed They thought they were signing something else. The board will recall the papers from the governor's office and give the applica-tion further consideration.

#### PEFFER SUPPORTS M'KINLEY approves the Course of the President

in Advocating Armed Intervention Without Recognition. Topeka, Kas., April 21.-(Special.) Ex-Sen ttor W. A. Peffer in a signed article hearti-

ly approves the course of President McKinley in advocating armed intervention with-out recognizing the independence of Cuba In his letter the ex-senator says: 'The rule of international law unques tionably is, that before a new government is recognized by other nations, it must in fact a government and backed by

#### JERRY WAS IN THE WAR. Sockless Kansas Congressman Served

Three Months and Draws a Pension.

Washington, April 21.-(Special.) The fact that Jerry Simpson, of Kansas, voted against the house war resolutions is partly accounted for. Jerry knows all about the horrors of war. He enlisted in the Union army and served long enough to find out that the carnage of battle is not what it is cracked up to be. So he retired after three months of service, just as the war was beginning to look ominous. This autobiography in the Congressional Directory announces that he "served for a time" in the Union army, but it is known to but a few that he is not declining a pension from the government of \$12 a month, in addition to his salary of \$5,000 a year as a member of congress. The record in the pension bureau is as follows: "Original claim No. 1,173,907. Certificate No. 912,464. Jeremiah Simpson, Medicine Lodge, Kas. Applied February 12, 1886; served from April I. 1861, to August 1, 1861. Alleged disability, disease of the digestive organs, liver trouble and rheumatism. No medical record. Examined by third board, Washington, D. C.. February 13, 1886." And rated by the pension bureau since he secured a pension, Jerry has sat in silent acquiescence on the alleged assaults on the treasury for the payment of pensions, and has confined his objections to the appropriations for naval and military purposes and to measures for the defense of the country against foreign powers. that the carnage of battle is not what it

#### MAY REPUDIATE CONTRACT. With Dollar Wheat, Judge King's

Textbook Is Useless to Populist Committee.

Topeka, Kas., April 21,-(Special.) If a cophole can be found the Pop state committee will repudiate a contract which Skaguay, Alaska, April 16, via Seattle, Wash., April 21.—Advices were received here to-day that martial law had been declared at Sheep Camp. The condition of affairs there since the fearful avalanche has been such as to impress Colonel T. M. Anderson, in command of the Lynn Canal district, with the necessity of more stringent means of preserving peace and protecting property. Accordingly he issued a proclamation, April 14, establishing martial law and sent a detachment of thirty men from Dyea to put the order into THREE KILLED IN A WRECK.

Conductor, Brakeman and Fireman of New York Central Freight Train Dead.

Rochester, N. Y., April 21.—A freight Judge S. S. King, the statistician of Kan-

#### CORN PLANTING BACKWARD.

Heavy Rains Have Interfered With the Work of Southern Kansas Farmers.

Independence, Kas., April 21.-(Special.) Never for several years have the farmers of Southern Kansas been so backward in their corn planting as they are this year. the further explained that no member of a milltla organization could be forced to go out of the country to perform service unless he should volunteer for such service.

Williston, N. D., April 21.—(Special.) Government of the country to perform service their country press, who last week shot and instantly killed a desperado who attacked him on account of an article at cattle rustling, was last night discharged from custody after a preliminary examination lasting two days.

Topeka, Kas., April 21.—(Special.) Government of the continued rains that have fallen here this spring, which has kept the farmers from doing their plowing. During the good weather of the past two weeks they have been doing their plowing and putting in all the corn they could, but they usually have all their corn in several fore election day next fall.

#### ED ROUSELL ON TRIAL Charged With Using the Mails to De-

fraud His Company Out of

\$3.000. Topeka, Kas., April 21.-(Special.) The case of the United States against Ed Rousell, secretary of the Fraternal Aid As ociation, for using the mails for frauduent purposes is on trial in the federal court. The government completed its side of the case at noon and the defense has presented about half of its evidence.

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Rousell is charged with using the mails to defraud his company out of \$2,000 by insuring J. M. Ritchey, a straw man, and having Ritchey die a few months later in Colorado. The prosecution claim that it was a deliberately laid plan of Rousell to swipe the money paid as a death loss, Experis were placed on the stand to prove that Rousell made out all the papers from Ritchey's application to the death proofs. Rousell claims that if there was any fraud practiced he was buncoed himself. He will also produce expert testimony to show that he did not make out the papers. He claims that he is being prosecuted on account of jealousy in the head office of the association. W. T. Walker, formerly president, is the leading witness for the prosecution.

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Rousell says Walker and his crowd were turned down at the last triennial meeting while he was re-elected secretary, which position he still holds. GERMAN POPULIST PAPER. to Be Run in the Interest of Leedy

and Populism During Coming Campaign. Topeka, Kas., April 21.--(Special.) The Populist state central committee is figoring on going behind a new German week y paper to be run during the coming campaign in the interests of Populism. F. W Frasius, of Topeka, will be the editor. The ommittee will guarantee Frasius 800 sub scribers, and he is expected to get some more on the outside. He has been given to understand that the Pop county comnittees perhaps can be held up for some additional grease also. Frasius will run the paper as a side issue. He will still continue to hold down the position of assistant state grain inspector with headquarters at Topeka.

#### WILL RESIGN TO VOLUNTEER. Captain Hiram Allen to Ask for Commission as Officer of Volnu-

teer Battery. Topeka, Kas., April 21.-(Special.) Captain Hiram Allen will resign as adjutant general of the state and ask for a commiion as officer in charge of a volunteer buttery of artillery.

Adjutant General Allen has fully made up his mind to take this step, and has in-terviewed Governor Leedy on the question of securing a commission. The governor will gladly accord Captain Allen the honor f leading the first volunteers battery from Kansas.

Captain Allen has plenty of fighting experience, having served through the civil war in the Twenty-fourth Indiana artillery. He entered as a private and during the four years of conflict was raised to the rank of captain.

#### LEWELLING WILL ENLIST. Ex-Governor of Kansas Tenders His Services to Governor Leedy-May

Organtie a Company. Topeka, Kas., April 21.-(Special.) Governor Leedy will not attend the annual G. A. R. encampment now being held at Wichita. He was billed to make a speech there, but he stated to-day that he would have to stay at his office to hold himself in readiness to answer any communications from President McKinley in regard to the raising of troops in Kansas and Issue orders calling out the state militia in case

the president wants it. Ex-Governor Lewelling to-day notified Governor Leedy that he was ready to enter the service in case of war. "I am opposed to war, because I think it barbarous," said he, "but if it comes then I want to enlist." Lewelling may organize a company of vol-

#### SAYS LEEDY RAN A BLUFF. State Senator Ryan Thinks Governor Never Intended to Call an

Extra Session. Topeka, Kas., April 21.-(Special.) State enator Ryan, of Crawford county, one of the conservative Populists in the legislature last winter, is in the city to-day, Ryan was one that refused to let Leedy dictate to him as to how he should vote on a railroad bill in the event of an extra on a railroad bill in the event of an extra session. "Governor Leedy never had any intention of calling an extra session," said he. "He simply tried to run a big bluff. These on the inside know it well. Had enough members of the legislature agreed to vote for his bill he would not then have called the legislature together. Leedy didn't want an extra session or any railroad legislation. He probably fooled a good many people, but not many down our way."

#### BITTER POPULIST FIGHT.

Anti-Leedy Populists Are Organizing a Strong Combination Against

the Governor. Topeka, Kas., April 21.-(Special.) The anti-Leedy Populists are organizing their forces now, and everything points to a bitter fight at the state convention. It now looks as though all of the other state offlcers, with the possible exception of Treasurer Heffebower, will join the movement. Heflebower is no politician, and the other renesower is no pontician, and the other fellows don't care where he lines up. There was all kinds of hurrying and skurrying about the state house to-day. Senator Sheldon, of Franklin, held a consultation with all of them, and read them a statement arraigning Leedy which he proposes to turn loose in a few days. Sheldon will be one of the counselors in the fight.

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#### SONS OF VETERANS' OFFER. state Encampment in Session at

Wichita Tenders Its Services to the Governor.

Topeka, Kas., April 21.-(Special.) A telegram was received to-day from the state encampment of the Kansas Sons of Veterans, now in session at Wichita, tendering the services of all members of that order in the state to Governor Leedy in case the president calls for volunteers. The Sons of Veterans say in the telegram that they would like to form the first Kansas

#### INDEPENDENCE POSTMASTER. Congressman Kirkpatrick Has Recommended the Appointment of

Edwin Foster.

Independence, Kas., April 21.-(Special.) The postoffice fight here has been settled by the information from Congressman Kirkpatrick that he had recommended Edwin Foster for the appointment. It lay between Ed Foster and Henry Conrad, and as each had some very strong indorse-ments, it was difficult to make a selection. The appointment, however, meets with general approval.

#### Stone Sues Policeman.

Topeka, Kas., April 21.—(Special.) Wes-ley Stone was arrested last December by a couple of Topeka Pop policemen, George Fleger and H. Jacobi, on the charge of insanity. After lying in jail a couple of days he was given a trial and convinced the jury that he was "saner" than the two Pop policemen, He was discharged, To-day he filed suit against Fleger and Jacobi for \$2.000 damages.

Old Man's Sentence Commuted. Topeka, Kas., April 21.—(Special.) Governor Leedy to-day commuted the prison sentence of Fred Goodshaw, of Smith coun-

## weeks before this time. It is not an unusual sight now to see a plow, corn planter and harrow all in the same field at once, following close behind each other.

UNITED STATES SENATOR FROM MIS-SISSIPPI PASSES AWAY.

#### RESULT OF A SEVERE COLD.

DEVELOPED INTO AN ATTACK OF TYPHOID PNEUMONIA.

His Last Address in the Senate Wa a Enlogy on His Colleague, Senator George, Delivered Despite His Physician's Protest.

Washington, April 21.-Senator Edward Walthall, of Mississippi, died in his artments at the Cairo to-day at 5:30 p. n. His death was not unexpected, the end the time of his death there were at his bedside his wife, his sister, Mrs. Freeman and his niece, Mrs. Clark, and her daughter. Representatives Allen and Fox, of Mississippi, bave been in almost constant attendance since his illness. Senator Wal-thall's illness dated from January last, when he contracted a cold. In February he suffered from an attack of bilious fever and from this he never recovered. His last ddress in the senate was made on April 7, when he delivered a culogy on his colague, Senator George, in spite of the protests of his physician. The following Saturday he was confined to his bed with a severe attack of typhoid pneumonia, which -day resulted fatally.

The funeral arrangements provide for services in the senate on Saturday at 11 o'clock. The remains accompanied ongressional committee will leave here Saturday night for Honey Springs, Miss., via Atlanta and Birmingham. The interment will take place at 10 o'clock Monday. Edward C. Walthall was born in Rich nond, Va., in 1831. He served in the Confederate army during the civil war, rising to the rank of major general. His pro-

ession was the law. With the exception of fourteen months, from January, 1894, to March, 1895, Mr Walthall sat continuously in the senate since the 12th of March, 1885. He was first appointed to this position to fill the vacancy caused by the nomination of Hon L. Q. C. Lamar to a position in President Cleveland's first cabinet, and had been reelected whenever his term has expired since that time. Previous to his resignation in 1894 he had been elected for the term beginning in 1895 and he had only to return and take his seat at the expiration of the term for which he had retired. His resignation at that time was tendered on acount of ill health, and while he had given careful attention to the duties of his office ince his return to the senate, Mr. Walthall had never been robust since he resumed his seat. He had for the past month been absent from his seat in the senate on ac-count of the condition of his health, except on the occasion when eulogies were deliv ered a few days since on the character of

ered a few days since on the character of Senator George. He spoke most eloquentiy and forcibly of his late colleague. This was his last service in the senate. It is not too much to say that Senator Walthall commanded the respect of every man in the senate. Refined, gentle and courteous in manner, and yet firm, manly and honorable, he easily won and held a place in the hearts of all who knew him.

#### Death of Mrs. Effic Hale Houts.

Warrensburg. Mo., April 21.—(Special.) Mrs. Effie Hale Houts, wife of Hon. O. L. Houts, and daughter of Henry C. Hale, of this city, died at her home on South Holden street this city at 3 o'clock this morning

of oneumonia.

Mrs. Houts had lived in this city from childhood, was a member of the first class graduated from the state normal school and has since her marriage to Mr. Houts, in 1880, been a leader in all social and intellectual organizations of the city. She leaves one son, Hale, aged 11.

Ploneer Woman Dies at Sedalia. Sedalia, Mo., April 21.—(Special.) Mrs. Anna Ditton, wife of William Ditton, who was the first agent here of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railroad, then the Tebo & Neosho, died at her home here to-day, aged 72 years.

aged 72 years. Kansas Cattleman Found Dead. Salina, Kas., April 21.—John Baxter, a prominent cattle buyer of Dickinson county, was found dead near Gypsum City this morning. Foul play is supposed to have caused his death.

#### FARRELLY PRODS UP BOYLE. Author of Kansas Anti-Trust Law Writes a Sharp Letter to the

Attorney General. Topeka, Kas., April 21.-(Special.) State Senator Hugh Farrelly, of Neosho county, author of the anti-trust law, has written a sharp letter to Attorney General Boyle, prodding him up. Evidence of a wholesale grocers' trust in Kansas has been on the attorney general's table for over six months now and yet he has not taken any action whatever to dissolve the trust. In his letter to Boyle, Farrelly intimated that probably the trust had one of its tentacles on the attorney general's office. The letter will likely force Boyle to pro-The letter will likely force Boyle to proceed against the trust. He has written Farrelly, apologizing for holding off the matter so long, but says it is due to his having so much other work on hands. The fact remains, however, that since the evidence was filed with Boyle he has taken hold of several other matters not half so important as this case.

#### ASKS FOR SCHOOL DISPLAY. State Superintendent Stryker Urgen

Preparation of Material for the

Omaha Exposition. Topeka, Kas., April 21 .- (Special.) State Superintendent Stryker has sent a circular letter to the school superintendents of first and second class cities urging them to get up some first-class material prepared by Kansas pupils to go in the Kansas display Annsas pupils to go in the Kansas display at the Omaha exposition. The Kansas commission has agreed to make a separate Kansas educational exhibit on the same order as that made at the world's fair at Chicago. The material must be sent to Stryker before May 15. It will be boxed up here and sent to Omaha.

#### CUBAN PATRIOT PICKED UP. He Is but 14 Years Old and His Father Employed Detectives to Find Him.

Golden City, Mo., April 21.-(Special.) Paul, the 14-year-old son of Dr. S. H. Lybyer, of Brazil, Ind., was found here to-day by his uncle. For a month detectives have searched for him everywhere and large sums have been spent for his recovery. He left home with a boon companion, bound for Cuba, At Memphis, Tenn., his friend deserted him. Young Lybyer said he was a good shot with an air gun and was anxious to join the na-ticnal guard. for him everywhere and large sums have

Governor Appoints Himself an Aide. Jufferson City, Mo., April 21.—(Special.) Gevernor Stephens to-day appointed L. W. Harper, of St. Louis, an aide-de-camp, with the rank of lieutenant colonel, on his per-sonal military staff, vice Colonel Wilbur F. Johnson, resigned. New Grocery House at Atchison.

Topeka, Kas., April 21.—(Special.) The Quigley-Melick Mercantile Company, with a capital of \$10.690, is the name of a new wholesale grocery house of Atchison chartered by the secretary of state to-day. Henry Allen a War Correspondent. Ottawa, Kas., April 2i.—(Special.) Henry Allen, editor of the Ottawa Herald, will leave to-morrow for Key West to do newspaper work during the war. He proposes to go with the army of invasion into Cuba and stay with it until the Spaniards are driven off the island.

## TROOPS AROUSE ENTHUSIASM.

Guthrie Goes Wild When the Regulars From Fort Logan Pass Through.

Guthrie, O. T., April 21 .- (Special.) Several thousand people waited for hours in a blinding dust storm this evening to see the three trains of United States infantry from Fort Logan arrive. Governor Barnes and staff, the local company of the Territorial militia, and the First Regiment band were also present to salute the troops, and gave them hearty cheers. The firebells rang, whistles blew and thousands cheered as the trains pulled in, flying the stars and stripes and Cuba's banner, side by side. All trains were sidetracked here, and as soon as a schedule could be arranged, started back for Kansas City on express time, orders having been issued for them to proceed to Atlanta instead of New Orleans. All Oklahoma is wild over the news of war, and companies of volunteers are recruiting in almost every town. The territory can easily furnish five times the

#### TROOPS HAVE LEFT EL RENO. Tenth Infantry Goes to New Orleans and Fourth Cavalry to

quota of troops assigned her.

Chickamauga. El Reno, O. T., April 21.-The troops of the Tenth infantry, under Colonel Pearson, consisting of Company F. Captain Stretch, and Company H, Captain Lincoln, got away late last night by the Rock Island for Mobile. They go by Fort Worth, the Texas & Pacific and the Louisville & Nash-

As the soldiers marched through the city they were accorded the most enthusiastic reception, the streets being lined for a mile with a dense crowd that cheered continually, and as many ac could accompanied them to the train and waited long into the night to see them start. About 10,000 people were at the depot when the troops took the train. The troops of the First cavalry left this morning by the Rock Island, going north to Kansas City, thence to Chickamauga, and the send-off they got as they loaded and started would have startled any person who thinks the war spirit dormant.

#### CANNON AT PITTSBURG.

Hospital Corps, K. N. G., Ordered to Be Rendy to Move on Moment's Notice.

Pittsburg, Kas., April 21 .- (Special.) The ews that war had been declared by Spain had the effect of causing a high tide of excitement in this city this afternoon. Flags were unfurled in front of business houses and on residences, all over the city and within an hour after the news that war was on, the national colors could b seen on every hand. The firing of cannon also added to the excitement and patriotism was evidenced at every turn. Major Deneidman, commander of the hospital corps, received instructions from the adjutant general of the Kansas national guard to-day, to hold himself and corps in readiness to report for duty at a moment's notice. And as a consequence the nembers of the corps are wearing their uniforms on the streets.

#### GREAT DEMAND FOR FLAGS.

One Firm Disposed of Five Thousand During the Afternoon Yesterday.

The supply of flags in this city was nearly exhausted yesterday. The call for flags did not begin till after the news came that war was declared, and then the demand was constant. The Schmelzer Arms Company sold 5,000 flags. At Ricksecker's store, Ninth and Walnut, two clerks did nothing but sell flags all the afternoon. In every big store in the city the Fourth of July supplies were gotten out of the store rooms and the flags given front place on prominent counters. If the demand for flags continues to-day the price is likely to

#### Ex-Office Recruit Soldiers.

A new regiment is being organized by ex-officers of the Third regiment. They opened a recruiting office yesterday at 802 Main street and a branch office at Thir-teenth and Grand avenue. These offices will be open till the regiment is made up. Between 600 and 700 recruits have enlisted already. Ross Landes is trumpeter of the

Captain Reeme, Lieutenants Davis and Linden, being railroad men, will get up a company of railroad men to join the regi-ment.

Holden, Mo., All Ready for War. Holdon, Mo., April 21.—(Special.) The news of the declaration of war was received here by the ringing of bells, blowing of whistles and explosion of firse-works for fully an hour, business being suspended. Patriotic utterances were heard upon every hand. Our people are ready for war and are anxiously awaiting opportunity to enlist.

#### Negroes Forming a Company.

The negroes of this city and Kansas City, Kas., will organize two regiments to go to war with Spain. A recruiting office in this city has been opened in the Hammerslough building, at the southwest corner of Fifth and Main streets John L. Waller former ly United States consul to Madagascar, is in charge of the movement. He is assisted by Charles W. Lee and H. B. Lind.

Spain to Call Out 80,000 Reserves. London, April 22.-A special dispatch from Madrid says the government has authorized Lieutenant General Correa, minister of war, to call out 80,000 reserves. Three vessels loaded with troops left Cadiz yester-day (Thursday) for a destination not dis-

Iowa Editor Shoots Himself. Marshalltown, Ia., April 21.—Charles Beverly, editor of the Statesman Press, the morning daily of this city, shot himself through the head this afternoon. Beverly was at one time clerk of the Iowa senate.

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